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New Advertisements.

To the Electors of Vancouver Island District.

GENTLEMEN:—In response to the solicitation of a number of prominent gentlemen residing in the different settlements of your Electoral District to offer myself as a candidate to represent your interests in the House of Commons, I have, after mature consideration, consented to do so, and have now the honor to solicit your suffrages at the approaching election.

The measures that a member of the House of Commons may be called on to deal with being different from those of a member of the local legislature, being in the latter more sectional, it is doubtless expected that I, as candidate should advert to at least some of them that more directly concern your interests. I will say, then, that having been one of the earliest advocates of a Canadian Transcontinental Railway, I shall, if elected, consider it to be my paramount duty in view of making it a grand national success, to insist that the Terminus shall be at Esquimalt, and that the line shall traverse the entire south-Eastern Coast or the Island from Johnson Straits.

Under the Terms of Union with the Dominion, as to the province of the local legislature, and not of the Dominion Parliament, to devise as to the kind of tariff that the people of British Columbia desire to be best united to their varied industrial interests, during the next ten years. Should, however, the question come before the Dominion Parliament, I shall endeavor to have the Tariff so framed as to meet with the concurrence of the agricultural, mining, and commercial interests of your district.

As the Dominion now possesses exclusively the right to assume new points and establish new centers, I shall endeavor to secure for the Eastern Coast a bi-weekly mail steamer of a superior class to the one now plying on the coast,—and also better mail facilities in each settlement; and as I deem it to be of great importance commercially to have the most rapid means of transmitting intelligence between Nanaimo and Victoria, I shall urge on the Federal Government the importance of the early construction of a telegraph line to connect the two principal towns in the Province.

The increasing importance of the commerce of the Gulf of Georgia renders it necessary to have more Lighthouses. I shall therefore make the most strenuous exertions to induce the Federal Government to build a lighthouse at Nanaimo at once, and to erect others elsewhere, as soon as possible, to insure greater safety and certainty in navigating the Gulf.

With respect to the Indians, I will urge that they be settled on Reservations, under the superintendence of Government Agents, where they may, with the assistance of the Government, be taught the arts of civilization, and thus have their social, moral, and religious conditions rapidly improved.

The question of the early construction of a Marine Hospital at Nanaimo, I deem to be deserving of serious consideration.

The Geological Survey now begun will doubtless be of great practical advantage to the country,—and anything that I may be able to do to insure the geological exploration of the vast mineral wealth of your District shall not escape my attention.

The Fisheries along our coasts promise to become very profitable, and as the Dominion Government has agreed to extend its protection and encouragement to that valuable and important branch of industry, I will endeavor to secure for your district its full share of any aid that may be appropriated for that purpose.

Not being able at this time to explain my views at greater length, I will take an early opportunity to meet you personally and collectively in the different settlements, when I may bring under your notice other questions of a Provincial and Dominional character.

In conclusion, Gentlemen, if you should do me the honor to return me to the House of Commons as your representative, I pledge myself to faithfully serve your interests to the best of my ability.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant.

ROBERT WALLACE.

Victoria, B. C., August 3d, 1871. au8

To the Electors of the Yale-Lytton District.

GENTLEMEN:—Having been requested by a number of Electors to become a candidate for the representation of the district, I have great pleasure in complying with this request, and beg to solicit your votes and support. It is customary on such occasions for candidates to express their views and opinions on the leading issues of the day and in deference to this custom I beg to offer for your approval the following policy.

I am prepared to advocate:

1st Repeal of the Permanent Civil List Act.
2d Repeal of the Qualification of Voters Act.
3d Amendment of the Registration of Voters Act.
4th A National System of Free Schools.
5th Mail Communication and good Roads to outlying Settlements.
6th Local Road Boards, having power to issue contracts to settlers.
7th Assimilation of our Preemption Law with the Free Land System of Canada.
8th Government assistance to farmers for irrigating purposes.

I am opposed to all private legislation for the purpose of granting monopolies, as I consider them to be detrimental to the interests of the community and at variance with the principles of sound political economy.

In conclusion I assure you that I shall deem it a pleasure as well as my duty to support all measures calculated to develop the resources of this district and of the Province generally.

I have the honor to be
Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant
WM. H. KAY.

Cache Creek, B. C., August 5, 1871.

To the Electors of Yale-Lytton District.

GENTLEMEN:—Having been requested by a number of the electors, to allow myself to be nominated as one of your representatives in the Legislature for the Province of British Columbia, after due consideration, I have much pleasure in acceding to their request, and shall be glad to know that the honor, should it elected, at all times make it my study to support such measures as will promote your interests and those of the country at large.

I am in favor of increased postal communication and a liberal non-sectarian school system; the abolition of road tolls; improving and making of trails and wagon roads in agricultural and mining districts; increases facilities for the preemption of land. I would oppose the permanent Civil List Bill and all extravagant expenditure of public money.

I have at present merely touched on those subjects that occupy the first place in the public mind, but shall be happy at any future time to hear your views and express my own more fully.

I have the honor to be, entlemen,
your obedient servant,
GEORGE COXON.

Quesnelle, July 28th, 1871. au14

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To the Electors of Esquimalt, Cooke, Metchosin, and Highland Districts.

GENTLEMEN:—I venture to ask for your suffrages at the approaching election in your Districts for the Local Legislature.

My political views being already familiar to many of you whom I have the pleasure of knowing personally, I think it unnecessary to enter into a detailed explanation of them through the medium of the press. And more particularly as I intend to visit every elector in the Districts before the polling day, and thus secure the opportunity of explaining in the way least liable to be misunderstood, the line of action I intend to pursue, in the event of being returned by you to the Legislature.

In my view of Responsible Government, the just representation of the electors in the Legislature, underlies all questions of reform and progress. If honored with a seat in the House as your representative, I shall enter upon my duties with a full perception of the responsibilities attached to them, and with a resolution to support every liberal measure calculated to advance the prosperity of the Province in general and your Districts in particular.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A ROCKE ROBERTSON.

To the Electors of the Electoral District of Yale-Lytton.

GENTLEMEN:—In reply to your request, I have much pleasure in coming forward as a candidate to represent you in the next new Legislative Assembly, and to make short work of it, my political views are:

Canadian Tariff, Repeal of Civil List Act, Repeal or Radical Amendment of Registration Act, Liberal School System on a non-sectarian principle; the construction of Roads, Bridges and Trails, in the different districts both miners and agricultural. And to faithfully attend to the interests of my constituents and promote the general welfare.

I am gentlemen, yours faithfully,
ROBT. SMITH,
of Lytton.

Lytton, B. C., June 22, 1871. je29 daw

To the Electors of Esquimalt, Metchosen, Sooke, and Highland Districts.

GENTLEMEN:—Having received a requisition signed by a large number of influential electors from all parts of the above Districts, asking me to allow myself to be nominated as a candidate at the forthcoming election, to represent you in the Legislative Assembly, it affords me much pleasure to come forward to solicit your suffrages for that honorable and responsible position.

I am in favor of a modification of the Canadian Tariff, believing that it fails to meet the requirements of all classes of the community.

The repeal or Amendment of the Civil List Act, I consider necessary, in order to restore to the Assembly its constitutional control over the Executive.

I will also advocate Free Schools on the most liberal principles.

The maintenance and extension of Good Roads and Bridges throughout the District shall have my best support.

I will do my best to get a Wagon Road put through to Sooke as early as possible.

One of the most desirable undertakings in the interest of your District is the immediate commencement of the proposed Graving Dock at Esquimalt; and in case the Canadian Government will not be prepared to extend the guarantee for its construction over a longer period than ten years, I will be prepared to vote in favor of pledging the credit of the Province for such additional period after the expiry of the ten years as will induce capitalists to undertake its immediate construction.

The Amendment of our Land System, so as to give more encouragement to actual settlers, shall have my earnest support.

An Unimproved Land Tax, I will support.

An amendment of the Franchise Act, I believe should be made, in order that every British tax-payer may have a voice in the Government of the colony.

I hope soon to meet you individually and collectively to learn more particularly your views, and to explain my own; but I take this occasion to acquaint you that if returned to the Assembly, I will endeavor to do my duty to the best of my ability, and support all measures that may be introduced that I may consider calculated to advance your interests.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your most obedient servant,
HENRY COGAN.

CRAIGFLOWER, Sep. 26th, 1871. se19 d&w

To the Electors of Victoria, Esquimalt, Metchosin, Highland and Sooke Districts.

GENTLEMEN:—Having been requested by a number of electors of this Electoral District to allow myself to be put in nomination to represent you in the Local Legislature in this Province of British Columbia, I gladly accede to your request, and if elected, I will use my best endeavors to forward your interests, and the general interests of the Province.

Having resided in the District for the last seven or eight years, it needs no comment on my part to satisfy you that your interests, which are equally mine, will receive the best of my attention in the Legislature, should I be elected.

It seems to me that previous candidates have endeavored to endorse one ticket on the Canadian Tariff, but I think that your interests would be much better served by a modification of our own, to be represented to the Federal Government.

I hope ere long to take the opportunity of addressing you personally, and should you do me the honor to elect me, I can assure you I shall endeavor, to the best of my ability, to discharge the duties imposed upon me.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Your obdt. servant,
CHAS. B. BROWN.

Victoria West, Sept. 25, 1871. se26

To the Electors of Esquimalt, Metchosen, Sooke and Highland Districts.

GENTLEMEN:—At the request of many friends, I offer myself as a candidate to represent you in the Local Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, and respectfully solicit your suffrages.

If elected, I will do my best to fully represent your interests.

I am in favor of the immediate acceptance of the Canadian Tariff, free education, the opening and improving of roads, and if necessary, a further guarantee by the Provincial Government to induce the early commencement of the graving dock at Esquimalt; also that the Canadian Pacific Railroad be extended to Victoria and Esquimalt, together with a hearty support to all measures calculated to promote the best interests of the country.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
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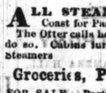

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VICTORIA—Wm. C. Ward, Esq., Manager Bank of British Columbia. se8

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

VANCOUVER ISLAND DISTRICT.

To the Electors of Cooke, Lake, Saanich, Cowichan, Salt Spring, Nanaimo and Comox.

GENTLEMEN:—While travelling through your district in July last, I was the recipient of very great encouragement to offer myself as a Candidate for the Parliament of the Dominion, of which this Province now so happily forms a part.

In soliciting your support at the forthcoming election it becomes my duty to express my views on Dominion politics, having a direct bearing upon the interests of British Columbia, which I shall do as briefly as possible.

I shall be a staunch supporter of the present Government of Canada so long as they give reasonable attention to the affairs of this Dominion in general, and of this Province in particular, in a satisfactory manner.

Knowing the feasibility of the Canadian Pacific Railroad from personal observation along the greater part of the probable line of route, and having advocated such an enterprise in the Nanaimo Journal, published in Ontario; as well as on this coast for the past twelve years, I shall endeavor, by every means in my power, to bring that grand undertaking to a successful termination at Esquimalt or some other harbor on Vancouver Island.

I may here say that I am not in favor of introducing Coolie labor either on the Railroad or other public works and will strenuously resist any attempt in that direction.

Should the Tariff problem not be solved by the Local Legislature but a modification of the Canadian Tariff, in so far as agricultural produce is concerned, recommended, I shall make every possible effort to effect a modification by the Federal Parliament.

I steadily hold the opinion that the Federal Government will place land communication on a thoroughly efficient footing from Sooke to Comox long before the re-opening of Parliament; should this, however, not be the case I shall, if elected your representative, see to it, that every settlement is duly represented in this important particular.

The subject of Immigration is one of great moment and shall always have my most earnest support both in the House and elsewhere—with increased demand for agricultural produce, farm laborers will be required in every settlement. These will soon locate on unoccupied lands, together with men of small capital and in their turn become producers. Their places will then have to be filled by others so that a steady stream of immigrants from the Eastern Provinces particularly, would be the greatest possible boon to this portion of the Dominion.

The early commencement and completion of a Dry Dock at some Island port, and I think Nanaimo has a strong claim upon such a work shall not be overlooked.

I shall advocate Vote by Ballot at Municipal, Local and Federal elections till that great reform becomes the law of the land.

Telegraphy, Lighthouses, Harbor Improvements, Hospitals, Asylums, Penitentiaries, Fisheries, Geological and other surveys, together with the Indian question and other subjects that will be continually presenting themselves, shall have my constant consideration and advocacy wherever conducive to the material prosperity of the Province in general and my constituents in particular.

I rest my claims upon your support gentlemen, on my long residence in the Eastern Provinces and on this coast; my intimate knowledge personal travel of the wants of every agricultural and nearly all the mining districts of the province—my unswerving support of Confederation and the Railroad since '59, and my having no special connection with any particular interests, commercial, agricultural or mining, I am enabled thus to look upon them all from an independent and impartial stand point, and in advocating their best interest to assist in raising this province of almost illimitable resources to the proud elevation it will soon attain as the Western outlet of the Great Dominion.

I have the honor to be gentlemen,
Your very obedient ser.
JOHN JESSOP.

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To the Electors of Yale-Kootenay District.

GENTLEMEN:—Having been requested by a majority of the voters in your constituency, I have consented to be nominated as a candidate for the Ottawa House of Commons.

Trusting that my past political career is a sufficient warrant that no motive other than a sincere desire to promote the public good, shall ever prompt my future political conduct, if returned as your representative.

I have the honor to be,
Very faithfully yours,
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CACHE CREEK, Oct. 2, 1871. oc9dw

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HAVING IN USE THE LATEST improvements of both material and instruments can insure all Dental Operations performed according to the most approved principles of the profession. Office, Government street. Hours from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m. au26

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FROM CANTON CITY,

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BEGS to inform the citizens of Victoria that he has commenced the practice of his profession, and will be happy to receive calls from any who may require his services. Having had a long experience, he has no hesitation in saying that he can guarantee relief and effect a cure of any disease that is not beyond the possibility of being relieved or cured. His motto is, "No cure no pay." Call and see, and no charge for consultation. Fisguard street, near Douglas street. au24 1m

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Between Johnson and Cormorant sts.

Waggons of all kinds kept constantly on hand.

Waggon Material for sale.

Horse-shoeing and General Blacksmithing done with neatness and dispatch.

Plows, harrows, etc., made to order.

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To our Readers.

Any neglect on the part of our Carriers to deliver the STANDARD at the proper time and place will be promptly remedied on application at the Publication Office, next door to the Bank of British Columbia, Government Street.

The Daily Standard.

Wednesday, October 25, 1871.

The "Colonist" Backing Down.

Not very long ago the *Colonist* announced itself in favor of dual representation. It was then the proper thing. But quite in keeping with its usual habit of turning around, it yesterday tried to impress upon the public that it was wrong. Now it is quite natural that we should enquire what its real reason is for such a sudden change in its utterances—what its object for veering so suddenly around. Now if we spent a ream of paper in trying to make its reason clear, we could not make it plainer than by saying that it is simply doing so in opposition to Mr. DeCosmos. If it were anybody else who was a candidate, dual representation would be all right—just the thing to suit the occasion—this course that ought to be pursued to make the alliance between our Provincial Government and the Federal Administration close and strong. Circumstances often alter cases, and the political enmity of our cotemporary and a few of its supporters to Mr. DeCosmos have changed its views. If Dr. Helmcken had stood for Esquimalt district and for this Ottawa district, it would have been all right—nothing like dual representation. In fact, no sooner had Dr. Trimble been returned to the local House, than our cotemporary pronounced in his favor as a suitable candidate for Ottawa. Hence it is apparent that anybody and anything, and any expedient no matter who or what will be pressed into the service of our cotemporary, so long as it can be used to oppose the candidacy of Mr. DeCosmos. If we are to believe it, dual representation will be a capital thing next year; but not this year. Now what an absurdity! If it be good at all, it will be of far more service this year than next. The first year the machinery is entirely new so far as our connection with the Dominion goes, and it is desirable to cause as little friction as possible, to raise as few difficulties as possible in the way of the operation of the policy of the Cabinet; particularly not to oppose dual representation—a question to which the present Administration stands pledged. If our cotemporary be secretly in the pay of the Parliamentary Opposition, its policy is easily understood, for Messrs. McKenzie & Co. declare that they are opposed to dual representation,—and make that question one of the dividing lines between the present administration and their party. Now we neither believe with our cotemporary that dual representation is bad this year and will be good next; nor with the Ontario Opposition that it is neither good this year, next year, nor any other year. We hold that under the circumstances in which this Province is placed, dual representation is good this year, and will be so for some years to come. The Province cannot spare its leading public men from the Local Legislature, nor from the Dominion Parliament. Men with ability and legislative experience, who will devote their time to politics, are too few in this country for any sensible person to raise a barrier against dual representation, and thus injure the country—merely to gratify the personal opposition of a few unscrupulous persons, whether connected with the press or people. There is but one obstacle that can be raised to dual representation, and that can only be raised by Gov. Trutch; and he is not likely to raise it to suit any political tricksters. He has possession of the Government to-day. If he will do his duty, irrespective of personal feuds, with the object of preserving the undivided support of this country for the present administration, he will summon the new Assembly for the dispatch of business in December,—and early at that. The new Ministry would be formed, and the appeal of the Ministers to the country for re-election would be over by the middle of that month, and the whole business of the country could be ended before the first of February long enough,—and thus afford ample time for any three or more of the local members who might hold seats in both Houses to attend to their duties at Ottawa. As for the important measures to come forward in our Assembly to stretch out the time, we believe that no delay will or need arise from that source. No Ministry will wish to keep the House open one day longer than necessary; for every day wasted will give a greater opportunity for their opponents to oust them. Hence, their measures will be "cut and dried" and passed, and a forty-day session will do the work of the country. If, however, Gov. Trutch delays the summoning of the Legislature for the dispatch of business, he alone will bear the responsibility. In the meantime we would impress on the electors of this and other districts to support dual representation; for any opposition that may be raised against it at present cannot rank higher than a political trick; and the country alone would be the loser, if the trick prevailed.

EMINENT CUTLERS.—Among the names of the most prominent manufacturers of cutlery are found those of Wostenholm, Mappin, Crooke, Harrison and Joseph Rodgers & Sons. The latter has for a series of years held the prestige for excellence, and has been awarded the prizes at the Industrial Exhibitions; and at present the sole importers in this Province are T. N. HIBBEN & Co. *

MEMORY presides over the past. Fell's Coffee over the present. The first lives in a rich temple hung with glorious trophies, and lined with tombs, but Fell's Coffee has but one shrine and that is at every breakfast table. Its aroma walks the earth like a spirit and can be found for sale at every respectable dealer in British Columbia. Beware of spurious imitations. 1y *

AUTUMN GOODS.—The goods for the retail trade, for the firm of Messrs. J. H. Turner & Co., will arrive by the next steamer, and during October. *

New Advertisements.

Notice.

BARK "MOUNTAIN ASH" FROM London. Neither the Captain nor the undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
SPROAT & CO.,
Consignees.
oc26

FEATHERS

Dyed, Cleaned and Curled,
AT MRS. M. M. JAMIESON,
oc25 1m Broad Street.

Consignee Notice.

THE "MOUNTAIN ASH," CAPT. Carr, from London, will commence to discharge cargo, at Sproat & Co's Wharf, on Thursday morning the 26th inst.

Goods left on the wharf after 5 o'clock P. M. of each day, will be stored at the risk and expense of consignees.

Consignees are requested to pay freight to the undersigned by whom delivery orders will be issued.
SPROAT & CO.
Wharf Street, 24th Oct., 1871. oc25

MERCHANT'S LINE.

For San Francisco Direct.
THE BARK
ADELAIDE COOPER,
CAPTAIN .....HAWES,
will commence receiving freight for the above port on Thursday, October 26th, and will clear on Saturday, October 28th.
For freight or passage apply to
T. F. PICKETT & CO.
oc23 Yates Street

AUCTION

SALE

AT THE CATTLE YARD,

Fort Street.

MILK CART,
Horses, Milch Cows,
TURKEYS, GEESE,
FURNITURE.
Farm Wagon, Express Wagon.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

WILL SELL AT THEIR

CATTLE SALE YARD
FORT STREET
Saturday, October 28th.
AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

For account of whom it may concern.

3 Fine Milch Cows,
1 Mare, works well,
1 Milk Cart,
1 Bedstead, Lounge, Chairs, Cooking Stove, Tables, Crockery,
1 Farm Wagon.

ALSO

20 Large Fat Turkeys,
10 Large Fat Geese,
4 Saddle Horses,

TERMS CASH.

oc25 J. P. DAVIES, Auctioneer

PUBLIC NOTICE TO MARINERS.

I AM DIRECTED BY THE HON. THE Minister of Marine and Fisheries of the Dominion of Canada to publish the following Notice to Mariners, which has been issued by the Hydrographer to the Admiralty, London.

R. W. PEARSE,
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 22d Oct., 1871.

Notice to Mariners.

(No 93.)

NORTH AMERICA, WEST COAST.

Buoys at Entrance of San Francisco Harbor.

Information has been received that three Fairway buoys have been placed as a guide for vessels crossing the Bar, and entering San Francisco Harbor.

These buoys are placed in line with Fort Point, bearing N. E. ½ E.

OUTER BUOY, black and white, is outside the Bar in 13½ fathoms, with the Middle Buoy bearing N. E. ½ E. 3½ miles and Fort Point 10 miles distant.

MIDDLE BUOY, black and white, is in 9½ fathoms, with the Inner Buoy bearing N. E. ½ E., 2½ miles, and Fort Point 4¾ miles distant.

INNER BUOY, black and white, is in 20 fathoms between Bonita and Lobos points, with Fort Point bearing N. E. ½ E. 2¼ miles.

FOUR FATHOM BANK.—Also that the four fathoms bank is marked by two black buoys.

The buoy off the west end lies W. by S. ½ S., 2¼ miles from the buoy off the east end of the bank.

The east buoy is in 5½ fathoms, W. by S. ½ S., 1¼ miles from Bonita Point.

It is said the west buoy cannot be depended on as remaining in position.

(All Bearings are Magnetic—Variation 18° 50' easterly in 1871.)

By Command of their Lordships
GEO. HENRY RICHARDS,
Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London, 28th August, 1871.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—San Francisco Harbor, No. 601. oc24 1m

Tenders Wanted.

TENDERS ARE REQUESTED FOR the construction of a wharf at the Steamboat Landing, Vesuvius Bay, Salt Spring Island. Full particulars given on application to
ABRAHAM COPELAND,
oc12 4w Salt Spring Island

PHŒNIX
FIRE ASSURANCE COM'Y
OF LONDON,
ESTABLISHED 1782.

THIS COMPANY HAVING INVESTED in conformity with the Provincial Act, one hundred thousand dollars, ($100,000) for the special security of Policy-Holders in the Dominion, offers additional security to insurers in the Province of British Columbia.
THOS. C. BUTTALL,
jy28 Agent.

Notice.

TENDERS ARE requested for the thorough repair of the Wharf next to Lachapelle's Landing and formerly used by Kavanagh & Co., as a coal depot, to be handed in, fourteen days from date, at the office of
L. LOWENBERG,
Victoria, 15th Sep., 1871. Government Street. oc16

New Advertisements

THE PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY
—OF—
SAN FRANCISCO,
HAS ARRANGED
FOR THE
PROMPT PAYMENT
—OF—
ALL ITS LIABILITIES
IN FULL,
Including those of the late
CHICAGO FIRE.

An assessment of Stockholders has this day been made, to provide against any IMPAIRMENT of its Capital Stock, and business will continued as heretofore.

A. J. RALSTON,
Vice-President.
San Francisco, October 12, 1871.

AGENTS IN VICTORIA,
WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
oc24 Commercial Row, Wharf Street

PRIVATE LODGING.

MRS. MAHONEY, of Broughton Street, begs to return thanks to the public for past patronage extended to her and hopes that it will be extended to her for the future. She has lately had the Bed-rooms refurnished and papered, &c. A first class Sitting room and Bed room, and two double bed rooms up stairs, are to let at present.
oc23 MRS. MAHONEY.

To the Electors of Yale-Lytton and Kootenay District.

GENTLEMEN:—In compliance with the request of a number of the electors of the above district, I have much pleasure in offering myself as a candidate for the honor of representing you in the House of Commons at Ottawa.

Your interests being so closely identified with my own affords you the surest guarantee that they will at all times receive my best attention and support; but as it is difficult to say at present what matters may come before the House at Ottawa, this session, I shall confine my remarks to a few leading subjects, which I consider most essential to the welfare of this Province, and especially that portion of it which I seek to represent.

I shall endeavor to procure a regular and efficient Mail Service throughout the populous portions of the District.

I shall support any measures brought forward by the Local House for the establishment of a Liberal School System throughout the Province and the appropriation of the necessary funds from the general revenue.

I am in favor of the appointment of County Court Judges in this Province.

I am opposed to the Civil List Act in its present form and should it become matter for legislation at Ottawa I shall advocate its repeal or amendment.

I shall give my support to the Dominion Government so long as it continues fairly and honorably to carry out the terms of Union, especially with regard to the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

In conclusion I promise that should you do me the honor of entrusting me with your interests, I shall at all times endeavor to prove myself worthy of your confidence.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen
your obedient servant
C. F. HOUGHTON.
oc23 Colonist copy.

LECTURE.

MISS SUSAN B. ANTHONY
WILL deliver a Lecture at the ALHAMBRA HALL, on
TUESDAY EVENING, OCT. 24th,
SUBJECT,
WOMAN'S SUFFRAGES.
The Lecture will commence at 7:30 o'clock.
ADMISSION 50 Cents. oc21

Wanted.

A NURSE GIRL.
Apply to
MRS. MOSS,
oc21 Fort Street.

Preliminary Notice.

AUCTION SALE

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

WILL SELL

At Salesroom, Wharf Street,

Tuesday, Oct. 31,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

BOOTS, SHOES, BROGANS,
Water Tights.
Gent's Custom Made Clothing.
Overalls, Duck Pants, and Jumpers.
Cassimer and Mole Pants
Pilot and Monkey Jackets.
Furnishing Goods.

Cloth caps, cass. Hats, Prints, Calicoes, Flannels, Kersey, Under and Over-Shirts. Baltic, Linens and Lambs Wool Shirts. Woollen and Canton flannel Drawers.

1 bale Baltic Shirts,
1 bale Woolen Shirts,
1 bale Woolen Drawers,
1 bale Embroidered Shirts,
1 bale Miners Shirts.

Variety of Piece Goods.

Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.,

Particulars on Friday.

oc27 J. P. DAVIES, Auctioneer.

Wanted

A MILLINER AND SALESWOMAN FOR the Showroom, Victoria House.
WILLIAM DENNY,
oc17 Manager.

New Advertisements.

NEW

AUTUMN GOODS

FOR RETAIL,
BY EXPRESS,
AT LONDON HOUSE.
TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL.
oc11

SCOTCH HOUSE,
FORT STREET.

A. McLEAN & Co.

Beg to intimate that they have the Largest and best Selected Stock of

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING,

Underclothing, Shirts, Hats, Boots,

UMBRELLAS, WATERPROOF COATS, HOSIERY, &c.

They Import Direct from the best English, Scotch, and Dominion Markets; their present Stock was personally Selected in these markets by *A. McLEAN*. They offer them

AT WHOLESALE PRICES FOR CASH,

To Make Room for other Large Shipments.

They would call special attention to their Stock of

MEN'S & BOYS' SCOTCH SOCKS

Being the only House in the Province that Import these Goods, which are acknowledged by all in the trade to be the best. oc14 3m

Government St.
Victoria B.C.

W. J. Watson have just received a large and Superior Stock of Clothing, Hosiery Hats Underclothing &c &c purchased by Wm Watson in England and the Dominion and Selected Specially for this market They confidently recommend the above goods to their friends and the Public as they have been bought Cheap for Cash and can and will be sold at Low Prices—

For the information of strangers W. J. Watson beg to add that they continue the system of business adopted by them 9 years ago of marking every article in plain figures and making no reduction.

oc13 3m

W. HEATHORN,
Boot & Shoe Maker,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
next to the Post-Office

HAS JUST RECEIVED DIRECT FROM England, an assortment of Ladies', Boys' and Girls' Boots and Shoes, also English Kip Butts, Cut and Kip Fronts, Uppers of all kinds, Lining, &c. A good assortment of Leather and findings on hand. Also A large stock of Boots and Shoes of his own manufacture, which he invites the Public to call and examine.

Boots and Shoes Made to Order.
REPAIRING DONE. oct4 3m

CARIBOO PORK MARKET.
Fort street,
next door to the Scotch House.

EVANS & WILLIAMS

BEG to inform their old customers and the Public Generally that they have re-opened at their old stand where they will manufacture the Finest SAUSAGES from Grain Fed Island Pork, seasoned in the English, German and Italian styles.

MILTON MORRAY PIES always on hand and made to order.

Hams and Bacon Cured in the Best Style.

Everything warranted pure and unadulterated. oct7

To the Electors of Esquimalt, Metchosin, Sooke and Highland Districts.

GENTLEMEN,—As the majority of you were absent from the hustings at Esquimalt on Thursday last (the day of nomination of candidates for your suffrages) and now, therefore, be unacquainted with the opinions which I then expressed as to the legislative measures that are most pressingly wanted to increase the prosperity of the Province at large and our own district in particular, I have thought it advisable to repeat them again briefly in this circular.

1st—I am in favor of maintaining free non-sectarian schools, under proper regulation, by the Provincial Funds.

2d—As to the Tariff, we know that by the 7th article of the Terms of Confederation it was agreed that the existing Customs Tariff and Excise Duties should continue in force here until the Railway should be opened to Canada (that is to say nearly ten years longer) unless our Legislature should sooner decide to accept the Dominion Tariff. We also know that after these terms had been agreed to Gov. Musgrave, at the request of our last Legislature, applied to the Governor General to have our tariff modified in three articles, viz.; on wheat, flour and spirits. The present duty on wheat is 25 cents per 100 lbs; on flour $1 50 per barrel; on spirits $2 per gallon and an additional 50 cents, which as you know, had been imposed shortly before to meet the cost of the telegraph to Cariboo. The modification proposed was to reduce the duty on wheat to 10 cents per 100 lbs.; on flour to 75 cents per barrel; and spirits to 80 cents. per gallon, as per Canadian Tariff. To this application we have the Finance Minister, Sir Francis Hincks' reply, stating, in substance, that as to the last imposed duty on spirits of 50 cents, he saw no objection to its repeal, but as to the reduction of the 82 to 80 cents, wheat from 25 to 10 cents and flour from $1 50 to 75 cents, he is very dubious. His words are—"Should the new Legislature concur in the recommendation of the Legislative Council, the Dominion Parliament would in the opinion of the undersigned, be inclined to consider them favorably," thus telling us in fact to apply again through our new Legislature before he ventures to submit our application to the Dominion Parliament. The reason of this doubtful reply is not far to seek. The majority of the Parliament are Free Traders. In the early part of the past session Sir Francis introduced a measure modifying the then existing Dominion Tariff avowedly for the purpose of protection, by which very moderate duties were to be imposed on foreign wheat, flour and other articles, but the House would not entertain it—a great many of the Ministry's own supporters voting against them. There is no doubt, therefore, that even if our Legislature were to repeat the application it would be met with a refusal, before we venture to submit our new application to the Dominion Parliament. The reason of this doubtful reply is not far to seek. The majority of the Parliament are Free Traders. In the early part of the past session Sir Francis introduced a measure modifying the then existing Dominion Tariff avowedly for the purpose of protection, by which very moderate duties were to be imposed on foreign wheat, flour and other articles, but the House would not entertain it—a great many of the Ministry's own supporters voting against them. There is no doubt, therefore, that even if our Legislature were to repeat the application it would be met with a refusal, before we venture to submit our new application to the Dominion Parliament. I don't think the Ministry would risk their position of its support as they did on the Confederation Terms; it would be unreasonable in us to expect them to do so. We must, therefore, fall back to the choice originally given us, viz., either our own, or the Canadian Tariff. Of our own tariff I will only say that it was a necessity while we were a colony saddled with debt and desirous to maintain our credit; but now that we are a Province and not only freed from debt, but almost certain of a considerable annual surplus, the choice ought not to be doubtful. By our own tariff we are burdened with a CORN LAW which benefits nobody. The duty on wheat has not raised its price, it being to-day from a ½ to ¾ cent per pound cheaper here than it is in Portland or San Francisco, while it has had this evil effect that it has killed all attempts to establish flour mills and these incidental benefits in cheapening bran, shorts, &c. The duty on flour raises its price to twice its actual amount—that is the duty—as we see in the fact that while we are at present paying $10 per barrel, our neighbors across the Sound are paying only $6 50 to $7, and our fellow subjects in the Dominion, at Montreal, by a quotation as late as 23d of last month, with wheat at 95 cents per pound are getting the best extra at $4. In fact our own tariff, means high taxation and stagnation; the Canadian, light taxation and its invariable results—great progress both agriculturally and commercially. The Canadian Tariff is, therefore, my choice and I sincerely commend it to your consideration and adoption, also believing that you will speedily reap its benefits in the cheapening of every implement that is required for agricultural improvement as well as the price of bread that we are to eat.

3d—Our most pressing district want is improved roads. Our present trunk line from Metchosin to Victoria was laid out when there was scarcely a wheeled vehicle on the Island. Its ups and downs were then excusable; but they are a great drawback and must be rectified or modified. Our roadmaking in the future should have the finest graded as carefully, and if possible, as level as a railway.

4th—I am in favor of the speedy construction of the Graving Dock and the Provincial Government supplementing the Dominion guarantee if necessary.

5th—I will advocate the introduction of a simple and literal system of local government in the town of Esquimalt and country districts generally, that the inhabitants may be enabled to combine and help themselves and thus be freed from the necessity of applying to Victoria for every little local improvement which they may require.

6th—Feeling satisfied, from the numerous pledges which I have received, that I shall be one of your representatives in our next local legislature, I assure you that your interests shall be zealously guarded by me and I now await the result of the poll with confidence.

I am, gentlemen,
Your faithful servant.
DAVID CAMERON.
Esquimalt, Oct. 15th, 1871. oc20 6w

BEACON HILL HOTEL,
BEACON HILL, VICTORIA.

THIS DELIGHTFULLY situated Hotel has been re-opened by the undersigned, and possesses every convenience conducive to the comfort of guests.

THE TRAVELLING PUBLIC
Will find this the most delightfully situated Hotel in Victoria.

The Establishment is under the personal superintendence of Mrs. Smith. Invalids under medical treatment will receive every attention.

Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

CARRIAGES will be found at the Steamboat Landings to convey guests to the Hotel.
oc7 J. SMITH.

The Daily Standard

Wednesday, October 25, 1871.

IMPORTS.

Per MOUNTAIN ASH from LONDON, arrived Oct 24, 751 pkgs beer, 146 pkgs hollands, 219 pkgs brandy 68 cs whisky, 100 cs preserved fruits, 140 pkgs wine, 12 cs confectionery, 3 chests tea, 20 bbls refined sugar, 25 pkgs sundries, 350 bars iron, 148 bdls hoop iron, 83 bars angle iron, 15 bdls round iron, 20 cs bar steel, 40 kgs horse shoes, 16 tons and 10 pcs machinery, 2 coils wire rope, 14 bags bolts, 74 cs and 46 sheets shutter iron, 2 cks anchors, 108 kgs nails, 620 kegs gunpowder, 200 cs dry goods and haberdashery, 43 crates earthenware, 6 cs looking glasses, 309 cs ultramara stoves, 7 cs stationery, 29 cs clothing, 5 cs arms, 10 cs provisions, 3 cs cutlery, 179 bxs soap, 83 bxs candles, 2 cs meats, 1 bbl sperm oil, 1 cs paint brushes, 41 bales blankets, 12 cs cut nails, 24 cs wax vestas, 2 cks colors, 1 trunk canvas, 1 bbl sperm oil, 24 cs gin, 7 cs shoe tools, 2 pkgs chemicals, 2 pkgs tobacco materials, 7 pkgs manufactured goods, 1 pkg toys, 2 cs medicines, 27 cs matches, 6 coils lead pipes, 16 bdls iron tubes, 3 anvils, 14 boilers, 6 bales carpet, 2 cs hosiery, 1 cs oil cloth, 42 cks rape oil, 2 cs lighthouse stores, 17 cs paper, 1 cutting machine, 1881 obs nails, 36 bxs tin plate, 1 cs percussion caps, 20 cs sundries, 20 cs ammunition, 4 cs bitters, 3935 tons coal, 11 cs furniture, 1 cs stops, 30 cs lime juice, 12 cks table salt.

Per bark Adelaide Cooper from San Francisco.—50 sks beans, 250 sks bran, 1 cs cheese, 23 pkgs castings, 25 pkgs drugs, 1 bale duck, 12 bf sks flour, 39 pkgs furniture, 5 cs marble, 122 sks malt, 3 kgs nails, 200 cs coal oil, 45 bales oakum., 6 bdls oars, 21 pkgs hardware, 50 mats rice, 1 pkg ship chandlery, 31 stoves, 15 cks wine, 8 cs yeast powder. Value $6,045 89.

CONSIGNEES.

Per MOUNTAIN ASH from LONDON—J. H. Turner & Co, A, A D, V L, Sprout & Co, Janion, Rhodes & Co, R, B&S, R & S, J R Stewart, H & S Bonous, C-Sir Co, H, G C, J L, Findlay, Durham & Brodie, P McQuade, Dalgetty, W d L & A Pellew, G, H V, H Holbrook, Baker & Co, R C H, W Y, J L L, U, W W, C, Lowe, Stahlschmidt & Co, D S & Co, Vancouver Coal Co, &c, 2, D & Co, V, K & A, S & Co, S, I, J W, R M, C, T R Hilton & Co, W, & L, W & J Wilson, Robt Beaven, A McLean, G S B, F V, CMS, D S S, A, C H, R F, G N

GOODS ON THE WAY.

Per bark LADY LAMPSON from LONDON—668 cs bottled beer, 1,040 pkgs whitbread beer, 1,000 pkgs white wine, 1438 pkgs brandy, 10 cks whisky, 30 cs mineral waters, 43 pkgs rum, 201 cs spirits, 10 cs plums, 10 cs cordials, 32 cs currants, 128 chests tea, 50 bxs, tobacco, 52 cs geneva, 168 cks refined sugar, 60 bxs tinplate, 7 cs looking glasses, 16 cs slops, 231 cs dry goods, 34 cs clothing, 1173 bxs soap, 7 bls carpet, 6 cs perfumery, 8 cs hats, 5 crts earthenware, 1 cs plate glass, 331 cs oilman's stores, 2 bls paper, 9 cs steel, 2 cks iron wire, 1 csk copper, 126 bdls and 6 tons sheet iron, 68 bdls, 6 tons iron plates, 6 cs sewing machines, 17 cs haberdashery, 2 bdls cotton waste, 34 pkgs painter's colors, 2 cks paint oil, 98 bbls seed oil, 5 bls dressed hemp, 12 cs books, 1 piano, 11 pkgs personal effects, 1 cs churns, 14 pkgs agricultural implements, 2 cs bedding, 1 bale leather, 20 bls blankets, 34 pkgs manufactured iron 2 bls cloth, 2 cks fuse, 5 cs muskets, 25 cs oatmeal, 216 pkgs vinegar, 36 pkgs shot, 47 pkgs tinwars, 21 pkgs gunpowder, 150 bdls hoop iron, 1 cs castor oil, 1645 iron pots, 60 cks cement, 5 cs starch, 560 bxs candles, 60 cks table salt, 20 cks barley, 1 csk blacking, 13 cs pipes, 2 bls twine, 11 cs furniture, 1 cs cartridges, 1 cs coffee mills 9 cs toys, 3 cs ecclesiastical Vestments, 3000xs silverplate 2 cks paint, 1 csk red lead, 105 iron axles, 308 iron wheels, 3 coil wire rope, 25 pkgs hardware, 5 pkgs manufactured glass, 5 pkgs zinc, 1 pkg flute glass, 1 bdl leather, 1 bls matting, 40 pkgs medicine, 2 pkgs quicksilver, 1 paper cutting machine, 1 perforating machine, 17 cs boots and shoes, 37 cks ammunition 74 cs window glass, 1 cs musical instruments, 45 copper bolts, 1 pkg music.

CONSIGNEES.

Per H B Co's bark LADY LAMPSON from London.—Hudson Bay Co, Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, G, B, T, E, Brown, Findlay, Durham & Brodie, Catholic Mission, H, Holbrook, Fisher & Co, W, C, Y, P McQuade, Edgar Marvin, L, H, Sproat & Co, C, V L, Burns & Edwards, J W Lowe, Stahlschmidt & Co, Langley & Co, Moore & Co, W & J Wilson, R Beaven, McLean & Co, Henry Short, G, H, ONE.

Auction Sale To-Day.

J. P. DAVIES & CO .....Wharf Street.....Will Sell at the Corner of Government & Pandora streets, at 11 a.m., Buildings, Waggons Buggies, Horses, Waggon material, Blacksmith's Tools, Etc.

Arrival from London.

The bark Mountain Ash, Capt. Care, arrived in the harbor yesterday, in charge of pilot Gardner, 145 days from London, and is consigned to Messrs. Sproat & Co., of Wharf street. The cargo is believed to be in good order; manifest and consignees in another column. The vessel sighted land at the entrance of the Straits and was driven out to sea again. Weather from the 14th,—to which date particulars of voyage are given below, was very thick, with a little occasional fine weather, and with the wind generally from the S. E.

Following is memoranda kindly given us by Master: Left the West India dock on the 30th May passed through the Downs on the 31st; the start point on the 2nd June; Madeira on the 11th; took the N. E. trades (very light for a day or two); 13th June, in lat. 29° 46' N. long 30° 20' N; passed Cape de Verd Islands 18th June, in long. 26° 14' N.; left the N. E. trades 21st June, lat. 11° 44' N., long. 25° 17' W., winds light and variable between north and S. E., for two or three days previously, when variable winds from S. W. and S. succeeded. Took S. E trades 30th June in lat. 3° 14' N., long. 24° 48' W., and crossed the line 30th June, in long. 26° 36' W.; left the S. E. trades 12th July, lat 29° 39' S., long. 37° 15' W. Four or five days previously the winds had been very light and variable, often from the S. W. quarter, with intervening calms. Thence to lat. 35° S. (19th July), wind fluctuating from S. W., south, east, and N. W. From 35° S. to States Island (14th Aug.) stiff breezes and strong gales prevailing from S., S. W. and S. W., with occasional short spells from N. N. W., and W. N. W., except on the 11th and 12th Aug., when off the east entrance of Magellan Straits, a hard gale from east to south. Passed Cape Horn on the 15th Aug., at noon, lat, 57° 22' S., Long. 67° 54' W., thence to the 6th Sept., lat. 36° 58' S., long. long. 86° 13' W., wind fluctuating between S. W. and N. W., generally strong gales, with short intervals of moderate weather intervening, and the latter wind predominating Thence to the 12th, lat. 25° 29' S., long. 101° 52' W., wind variable from N. W., S. W., N. E., E. N. E., with moderate weather. the N. E. and E. N. E. winds are the commencement of the S. E. trades hanging far to the N. eastward. From the 12th to the 20th Sept., on the latter date crossed the line in long. 120° 0' W. the S. E trade wind prevailed from N E., E. N. E., and east; 23rd Sept. lat. 7° 34' N. Since the 20th winds from east to south, fine clear weather; 25th Sept., lat. 12° 50' N., winds from south drawing to the west, as advancing north, or as north lat. is increased; 30th Sept., lat. 15° 26' N. long. 123° 38' W. Since the 25th winds variable between N. W and N., and light weather generally: from 30th Sept. to 8th Oct., lat. 25° 37' N. long.. 140° 22' W winds variable, and often very light, from N. N. W., N. and N. E. From 8th Oct. to 14th, lat. 40° 58' N., long. 145° 57' W, winds generally from N. E.

Loss of the Whaling Brig Byzantium.—The Prince Alfred, which arrived from Nanaimo on yesterday, brought down the sad news of the wreck of the whaling brig Byzantium, Capt. Roys. From the master, who arrived yesterday afternoon by the Otter, we get the following particulars: On the 19th inst., at midnight, during a southeast gale, the vessel went on a rock in Weynton passage, Johnston Straits, and in an hour afterwards the vessel had to be abandoned, the crew, thirteen in number, having had time to save only the ship's chronometer, and a part of their personal effects. The crew took the boats and went on shore, and left for Fort Rupert, where they were picked up by the Otter on her way down from the North. Next day the Otter arrived off the scene of the disaster, but found no traces of the wreck, the vessel having gone down. On board were 100 barrels of oil when she was lost, and the vessel was on her way from the Gulf to the northern part of the Island, where whales were numerous. The Captain and crew arrived down by the Otter, and news was sent across yesterday by the North Pacific, to Capt. Calhoun, the owner of the vessel. We understand the vessel is insured in the Pacific Co. for $5000.

For Burrard Inlet.—The Otter will leave for Burrard Inlet this morning to tow down the Princess Royal, now laden for England.

From the North—Omineca.

The Hudson Bay Co.'s steamer Otter, Capt. Lewis, arrived from Skeena river and way places yesterday afternoon, with 175 or 200 passengers from Omineca, the crew of the wrecked brig Byzantium, and Messrs. Ripper and Powers from the Musgrave copper lead, Knight's Inlet.

On the way up, the Otter called at Nanaimo, Baynes Sound (where Mr. Pemberton and two men went ashore), Comox, Alert Bay, Fort Rupert, Bella Coola, Bella Bella, and arrived at Port Essington on Tuesday morning, 17th October. Discharged freight, and next morning received on board 111 passengers, and left for Woodcock's Landing. Discharged the freight for that place, and on Friday morning left for Victoria, having taken on board 40 more passengers.

Touched on the way down at Bella Bella, Fort Rupert, Alert Bay and Nanaimo.

At Fort Rupert took on board Capt. Roys and the crew of the whaling brig Byzantium, which had run on the rocks in Weynton Passage, in a gale two days before, and had been abandoned Nothing was saved from the wreck, and when the Otter passed the place it had disappeared. The Otter experienced very heavy weather and S.E. winds throughout the trip.

Major Downie and Mr. Davidson came down as far as Nanaimo. They shipped half a ton of silver ore per Prince Alfred to San Francisco, and would return to Desolation Sound at once.

OMINECA.

We conversed with a miner who came down yesterday, and his report is in substance as follows: On Germansen creek there are a few claims paying—the Payne co. is paying well. Mansen creek is doing best; all the claims are doing something. On Black Jack gulch a few claims are turning out considerable gold. Lost creek and Skeleton creek are also turning out favorably. A few minor creeks, the names of which are not given, are being prospected.

It is supposed a hundred men will winter in the country; the next boat will fetch down all who do not intend to remain during the winter season. Provisions are plentiful and cheap, considering the circumstances of the country; prices differ but little from our last account.

Our informant tells us that out of about 200 men who came down, only a dozen were unable to pay their passage from Skeena; all had more or less dust with them. Some few even took cabin passage. One poor fellow, after his hard task, lost overboard all he had with him.

Gus. Wright's steamer was running on the Lake as usual. The trail out is pronounced good, if we except the Fryingpan Pass. But few accidents are to be recorded since last dates; one man had a leg broken, a log fell on another, no serious injury done.

The health of the district was good, very little was to do for the two or three physicians, and they left the mines. Mr. O'Reilly was met on his way in from the Skeena.

The claims were laid over for the season on the 15th September. The greatest drawback to the success of the mines is the short season during which the gold can be extracted—by reason of high water and short seasons. Wages are $8 per day; laborers finding themselves.

The traders have a great deal of money out, and many who were credited with goods will be unable to settle up.

FURTHER.

Another account, from a returned Victorian who was at work on Mansen creek, says, he and another, on some days, took out as high as an ounce and three-quarters of gold to the man. The amounts generally were much below this take—varying from wages to the larger sum quoted The diggings on this creek are shallow and easily worked Were a water ditch brought into this creek, a large surface of ground could be worked which now lies idle.

Two prospectors—Duncan McMartin being one, and known to a number of persons in the Province, had been on a prospecting tour about sixty miles to the westward of Germansen, and not more distant from the routes of travel than the other sections of Omineca. report having come across a couple of new creeks which they think will pay from eight to ten dollars a day to the hand. The country looked favorable as a gold field. The person from whom we got the above, thinks that 200 men will winter.

REPORT NO 3.

Several of the returned miners, who left the mines about the 24th and following days, inform us that most of the claims on Mansen creek are taking out some gold—from a small quantity, enough to buy provisions, to $10 or $15 a day. The Discovery claims are paying, on an average, a trifle over this yield—but our informants believe the output was steadily declining.

On Lost gulch, the Payne and another company are turning out what is usually considered good pay. Slate creek gives returns much the same—two claims were yielding handsomely—the remainder from "grub" to wages, or thereabouts.

Germansen creek, on which so much depended in the early part of the season, has on the whole proved valueless. The lower end was still giving a little satisfaction.

Provisions rated about as follows: Beef, 30 cents per lb; mutton, 20 cents; bacon, $1; flour, 45 cents. Tools were plentiful and cheap.

Of those who came down belonging to this city, were—P. Cargotitch, T. Barry, G. C. Keays, J. Dwyer—from the mines.

The accounts generally vary; some think the country is good, and they will return in the spring. Others again say, the diggings are a failure, and they wouldn't be paid to go back.

FURTHER STILL.

From Mr. G. C. Keays, who left Germansen creek on the 22nd September, we learn that on Germansen creek there were about 30 or 40 companies at work; only three claims were making over wages, the others making from $4 to $7 per day. The water was low, and the deep ground in the creek has been thoroughly tested and found wanting. The Cornish co., on this creek, a bench claim, was putting their ditch in thorough repair, to commence operations in the spring; and are driving a tunnel into the right bank, some hundred feet lower down the creek. They intend to prospect all winter.

Peter Cargotich tells us (he left Mansen creek on the 29th Sept.) that all work was suspended on Germansen for the season, and the town of Omineca is depopulated, with the exception of two stores and a butcher's shop.

On Mansen creek a few men were earning a little, but the greater number were not making more than enough to buy food. Very little money was in circulation.

On Lost gulch, the Ward co. is doing well, Peter says 100 men will winter up in the diggings.

An Attempt at Suicide.—A man named Seitz, who was trading for furs at the Forks of Skeena, attempted to commit suicide by blowing his brains out, on his way down the river; he was, however, prevented from carrying out his designs. On his arrival at Port Essington, he made a second attempt with a razor, and succeeded in inflicting several severe wounds on his throat and on his arms. The act was committed in the store of Messrs Cunningham & Hankin. He went up stairs alone, and blood being noticed coming through the floor shortly afterwards, it caused the people down stairs to rush up, when they found the man lying down, apparently dead. He was brought down in the Otter, and has received every attention from the officers of the ship and Dr. Chesmore, who was also a passenger on board. We learn that he will recover, and that he is of unsound mind.

Official Declaration of Victoria District Poll.

The Returning Officer A. C. Elliott, Esq., in the presence of a few electors declared the state of the poll for the Victoria District, at noon yesterday, at the School House, head of Fort street. The votes are as follows:

Mr. DeCosmos	School House	88
"	Lake District	20
"	North Saanich	10
"	South Saanich	23
	Total	151
Mr. Bunster	School House	73
"	Lake District	14
"	North Saanich	16
"	South Saanich	20
	Total	123
Mr. Dalby	School House	76
"	Lake District	15
"	North Saanich	7
"	South Saanich	5
	Total	103

It will be seen that the numbers given above differ slightly from those given on the day of election.

An elector on the absence of the Candidates, who appear to have forgotten all about the event, mounted the stand and returned thanks on behalf of the successful candidates. Three cheers were given for DeCosmos, Bunster and Dalby, and the large assemblage *withdrew*.

The Lecture.—Miss Anthony resumed her advocacy of Woman's Rights last evening, before an audience about equal in number to the previous evening. She brought forward the arguments usually advanced against the doctrine, if we may so term it, and dealt with them one by one, and we must say, handled them without gloves. Our readers who are yet ignorant of the subject, can satisfy themselves by ordering from the lady a volume which treats of the history of the movement for the last twenty years. Mrs. Duniway at the close of the lecture came forward, and said a word or two with regard to her newspaper, the *New North West*. She commenced this movement sixteen years ago, by rocking the cradle, singing lullaby, and raising the boys to set the type. She earned with her sewing machine, the funds required to purchase the plant; her boys set up the type, and she herself edits the paper. The latter lady, it was announced would divide the time of the lecture this evening. At the conclusion last evening, and during the delivery of the lecture, Miss Anthony was warmly applauded.

New Census and Patent Laws.—We are indebted to Munn & Co., publishers of the *Scientific American*, New York, for a neat little bound volume of 120 pages, entitled as above. It contains the complete census of 1870, showing the population, by counties, of all the States and Territories, with their areas, and the population of the principal cities. Also, the new patent laws in full, with forms, official rules, directions how to obtain patents, copyrights, regulations for trade marks, assignments, how to sell patents, etc. Also, a large variety of valuable information relating to water wheels, steam engines, and other mechanism, with many useful tables and recipes, 145 diagrams of mechanical movements, etc. We advise every body to send for it as above. Price, 25 cents. A more valuable compendium, for so small a price, has rarely been published.

To Business Men and Others.—We direct the attention of our merchants, business people, and others, to the manifest of the cargo and consignee list of the H. B. Co.'s ship Lady Lampson, lately sailed from London for this port. In yesterday's STANDARD were also published freight and consignees of the Gungnar, which is out about 60 days from Liverpool—consigned to Janion, Rhodes & Co, of this city.

Not True.—It is not true that Mr. Robson spoke against Mr. Fisher at the meeting on Friday last at Calvert's four-mile House. As stated in Sunday's *Colonist*, Mr. Cogan was listened to attentively which is quite the contrary to what appeared in the *Colonist's* item, and as for Mr. Fisher he delivered a splendid speech. Messrs Cameron and Brown were not present.

From the Musgrave Copper Lead.—Messrs. Ripper and Powers returned yesterday from the Musgrave Copper Mine, Knight Inlet, where they had been at work on account of the company. They report very severe weather during their stay on the mountain and on the way up the Inlet. The news from the mine is considered favorable; we were unable to learn particulars.

The bark Adelaide Cooper, Capt. Hawes, arrived yesterday, twenty days from San Francisco, with a cargo of 120 tons general merchandise. For the first part of the passage, calms and light head winds were encountered, latter part, strong winds from the north-west. She will be laid on the berth here for San Francisco by Messrs. R. F. Pickett & Co., her consignees.

Treasure Shipment.—The following amount of treasure was shipped per Prince Alfred by Messrs. Wells, Fargo & Co.:

Bank of British North America	$29,756 34
Bank of British Columbia	29,427 37
Wells, Fargo & Co.	12,649 39
Total	$71,833 10

The steamship Prince Alfred, Capt. Scholl, arrived in Esquimalt at 11 a. m., yesterday morning, from Nanaimo, where she went on the beach to be scraped. She also took in a cargo of coal for San Francisco. At half-past one p. m., she sailed from the H. B. Co.'s wharf, Esquimalt, for San Francisco, with twenty passengers and the mails.

Police Court.—The two men, F. Clayot and Minius Burgess, hands on board the brig Commodore, loading at Sooke, charged day before yesterday with stealing the ship's boat, were yesterday discharged. On the application of the master of the vessel, they were ordered on board.

Comox Election.—This election, which will come off to-day, between Dr. Ash of Victoria, and Mr. Coleman, a local man, is likely to be closely contested. We are informed, that since Mr. Gordon has withdrawn in favor of Dr. Ash, there is no doubt but the latter will be elected.

Hard Luck.—A miner who came down from Omineca in the Otter yesterday, just before arriving in the harbor, had the great misfortune to lose overboard all his hard-earned gains of the season, amounting to 33 ounces. His purse dropped out of his trowsers' pocket.

Steamer California.—This steamer, which has been undergoing repairs for the past few months, is now being painted, and she will be able to resume running in a short time. Her repairs have materially improved her. She now looks like a new ship.—*Portland paper.*

Messrs. Wells, Fargo & Co. shipped per steamer Prince Alfred, for San Francisco a ponderous safe weighing 2 tons and a half.

The East River Bridge—Placing the Caisson on the New York Side.—The caisson of the New York pier of the East River Bridge was towed from the Atlantic Dock to its position at the foot of Roosevelt street. It is precisely similar to that of the Brooklyn pier, with the exception of being four feet longer and having an iron lining in addition to the caulking. Twelve courses of timber have been already placed upon it, and ten more are to be added before it is sunk. The force of the rising tide caused considerable trouble in getting the caisson into position, and the united power of seven tugs was barely sufficient to prevent the unwieldy structure from floating up the river. The work of sinking will not be completed before Spring. The caisson is to be placed upon a stratum of rock eighty feet below high-water mark, and the required excavation is already made to the depth of thirty-seven feet. The "sheet-piling," which has been driven upon three sides, will be completed at once.

Auction.—Messrs. Davies & Co. will sell, to day, the premises lately occupied by Mr. Gerow as a waggon shop, corner of Government and Pandora streets. Also will be sold, waggons and vehicles of various sorts, materials, tools, etc., which are usually to be found in a similar establishment. A good chance to start a business, this.

For the East Coast.—The steamer Douglas, Capt. Clark, left yesterday morning for Comox, Nanaimo and way ports with about 15 passengers, among whom were Mr., Mrs. and Miss Bunster, Messrs. Wallace, Jessop, Hurst and S. D. Levi.

The journals of the last session of the Legislative Council have just been published at the Government printing office, and were being distributed yesterday. We have to acknowledge the receipt of a copy from the Government.

For New Westminster.—The Enterprise Capt. Swanson left at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon for New Westminster with the following passengers, Mrs. C. Oppenheimer Mrs. Bushby, Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. Jamieson, Messrs Curtis and H. Nelson.

From San Francisco.—The French bark Leon arrived in Esquimalt yesterday morning 18 days from San Francisco, bound for the Hastings Mill, Burrard Inlet to load lumber for Valparaiso.

Carpets—Real Wilton, Brussels, Tapestry, Kidderminster and Felt, a very choice lot. New styles arrived by mountain Ash to-day for Turner, Beeton & Tunstall.

The Races.—The Lieut. Governor and Admiral Farquhar have kindly extended their patronage to the race meeting—Prince of Wales' birthday.

New Store.—A Mr. Anderson has opened a grocery and bakery store in Mr. Alex. Phillips' brick premises, corner of Fort and Blanchard streets.

Birth.—The lady of ex-Governor Musgrave was confined of a daughter, on the 11th of last month, at Clarges street, Piccadilly, London.

For Puget Sound.—The North Pacific Captain Starr left for Olympia and way ports at 12 noon yesterday, taking about 30 passengers.

Salsages, of the best quality, and fresh every morning, can be had at Winger's Market, Fort street. Prices lower than any in town.

There was no meeting of the City Council last evening.

The telegraph line was down last night.

The Colored Question Again.

EDITOR STANDARD:—Knowing the truthfulness and stability of your paper on this coast, I solicit a space in its valuable columns. As the colored question is being now agitated, and being identified with the race, in justice to myself it becomes incumbent on me to make one or two brief remarks.

It is hard for one to believe (although true) that man of this great philanthropic and civilized country, could be led by foreign adherents, a people not very partial to England or anything pertaining thereto, led and induced by those very people, to debar the subjects of Her Majesty from those rights and privileges which justly belong to them as good loyal citizens, whether they be native born or subjects by the oath of allegiance. In none of her Majesty's dominions has this vexed question become so great a perplexity, but in those that are in immediate conjunction with Brother Johnathans, I do think it inconsistent that morality, justice and all lawfulness should be trampled under in the first place, for the mere qualification of a class. Now to shew you how these refractory freed lawed, freed country, and freed individuals carry on business, just ask Mr. A. why these prejudicial feelings against the colored man exist, he will say, it is not me, it is Mr. B, your leading man, for we treat our people of color with becoming equity, we have let bygones be bygones and are assisting them to every progressiveness, they can speak for themselves. Now turn to Mr. B. and ask him the same question, Mr. B. our leading man, the great philanthropist the professor of civilization, the lover of instruction, and inhabitant of a so-called free country, ask him why should such prejudice be in a British country? He will tell you it is not me. As I consider one man as good as another, the color of the man makes no difference with me. Now who can we blame for all this? We will notice a little further to see if we can find any to blame. We will ask how it is that colored men do not form a part of the jury men of this country? Are they not sufficiently intelligent! The answer would be certainly they are, but the whites will not sit with them. Now if a line of demarcation be drawn that qualification and not color be the rule, many of those very men would be incapacitated to serve as jury men. Are there no laws to restrain and regulate the perverse action of men? If so why should things be allowed to take such a course? Is this a free country? If this be a free country and the laws also free, why not enforce them, and prevent the strong aiming at the weak, as truth crushed to earth will rise again?

Next in turn is the education of our children, which I will briefly pass over and ask, what is it that makes good and loyal citizens? What is it that improves the mind and teaches mankind morality? Nothing but education. Keep it from your children and vice will supersede virtue. The prisons must be then made larger than the schools. In conclusion let me add that at some future time I will devote a space to bishops, priests, principals and teachers, in order to show them that fleecy locks and black complexion can never forfeit natures claim. Skin may differ but affection dwells in white and black the same.

SEMPER FIDELES.

Victoria, Oct. 17, 1871.

The excitement now is very great
About Green's suits of fashionable make.

You swells that want to cut a dash,
Come buy your clothing cheap for cash.

To please you he will do his best,
With coat, pants or fine silk vest.
His goods will suit both large and small,
And for selling cheap he beats them all

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

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EXECUTOR'S SALE OF

STEAMER "FLY"

Etc., Etc., Etc,

PLUMMER & PAGDEN

are instructed by the Executor of the

Late Capt. James Frain,

TO SELL BY

PUBLIC AUCTION,

AT THEIR

Salesroom, Wharf Street,

Tuesday Nov. 7th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The Steamer "Fly"

128 ft. long, 22 ft. breadth of beam, 121:77 tons register. Fitted with a pair of 60-horse power Oscilating Cylinder High Pressure Engines, (Clyde built and in excellent order) 18 inch diameter, 3 ft. 9 inch stroke.

As she now lies in Victoria harbor, with Stores, Spare Rigging, including 120 fathoms 7 inch chain cable and 2 anchors, &c.

Particulars of which will be announced hereafter.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN,
oc17daw Auctioneers.

Notice.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE of the late James Frain, must be handed into the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of October, inst., and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment without delay to

CHARLES G. WYLLY,
Executor.
Victoria, B. C., 10th October, 1871. oc11td

WHEAT, TO FARMERS.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR WHEAT, by

J. RUFF,
oc5 Wharf Street.

Notice,

THE UNDERSIGNED REQUEST THAT all accounts due to J. Roberts & Stewart be paid to them on or before the 1st prox.

WILSON, RITHET & CO.
Victoria, B. C., 11th Oct., 1871. oc11d

DENTAL NOTICE.

DOCTOR BARNARD

HAS HAD FOR SOME TIME among other improvements "The Perkins-Hyatt" or "Celluloid Base," THE NEWEST AND LATEST MATERIAL used in the manufacture of Artificial Sets. The Doctor will ever strive to be first in introducing helps and hints touching his own interests and that of his Patrons.

OFFICE and RESIDENCE Douglas Street between Dr. Powell's premises and Wilson's Tea Store.

HOURS from 8 A. M., until 4 or 5 P. M.
Victoria, October, 2nd 1871. oc8

Notice.

MR. LEON CURTAT HOLDS MY Power of Attorney during my temporary absence from the Province. F. GRELLET,
Oct. 9th, 1871. oc11 Wharf street.

Notice.

MR. W. C. SIPPRELL HOLDS MY Power of Attorney, and will carry on my business during my absence from Victoria.
oc21 THOS. ALLSOP, Land Agent.

S. DRIARD'S HOUSE,

Colonial Hotel Branch.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE ABOVE Hotel begs to tender his thanks to his numerous patrons, and to announce that for the accomodation of the travelling public he has purchased the Brick Building formerly known as the

ST. GEORGE HOTEL,

which he has fitted up in First Class style.

FOR THE RECEPTION OF FAMILIES
In connection with his old and well known Hotel.

EVERY COMFORT PROVIDED. oc12

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ST. NICHOLAS HALL,

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From 10 A. M. to 12 M.,
From 2½ P. M. to 5 P. M.,
From 8 in the evening to 10.

Admission, 25cts; Use of Skates 25cts.

Monthly Tickets for Gentlemen	$6 00
Monthly Tickets for Ladies	3 00
Monthly Tickets for Ladies & Gentlemen	8 00

Victoria, August 5th, 1871. au5

BOOTS AND SHOES.

H. MANSELL

HAS JUST RECEIVED A VERY LARGE assortment of

GOODS IN HIS LINE,

selected from the best that the San Francisco Market affords, which he offers at the very

LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICE FOR CASH.

Also, a variety of

HOMEMADE BOOTS ON HAND.

BOOTS made to order in the most approved style from the best Material.

OBSERVE—GOVERNMENT ST., Victoria, two doors from the Colonist. oc19

Wanted

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS BY single gentleman.
Address, F. at this office. oc2

Strayed

FROM THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF Beacon Hill, on Saturday last, a red and white cow, branded M. C. Any person bringing the same or conveying information of the same to Sister Mary Providence at the Convent of St. Ann's, View street, will be suitably rewarded.
Victoria, 18th Sept., 1871. se19

Auction Sale.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS

AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

Salesrooms Fireproof Stone Building,

WHARF STREET near YATES.

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WE CALL PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO facilities of Our Cattle Sale Yard, Our Located on Fort Street. The best accommodations found for every class of Stock that may be offered sale. This Establishment is unsurpassed on the Pacific Coast.

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THIS DAY

AUCTION

SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & CO,

Have received instructions from

Mr. G. C. Gerow,

TO SELL BY

PUBLIC AUCTION

on the premises corner of

Government and Pandora Streets,

Wednesday, Oct. 25,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M

Entire Stock in Trade,

Buildings, etc.,

Comprising in part of:

WAGGONS, DOG CART,

CARRYALL,

Waggon Materials,

Extra Wheels, Spokes, Fellowes, Hubs, Vices, Anvils, Benches, Grindstones, Rollers, Tire Shrinkers, Bellows, Set 10 Screw Plates,

Blacksmith and Waggon Tools

of all Descriptions.

Horse Shoe Shapes, Toe Steels, Steel for Springs, Tire Iron, Round and Bar Iron.

Buggy, Dog Cart and Double Sets Harness, Screws, Horse Shoe Nails Etc.

2 first class Horses.

AT COMMENCEMENT OF SALE

The Buildings Fronting on Two streets, 40x72.

Consisting of the Blacksmith, Wagon & Paint Shops, Subject to a Rental of $15 per month.

TERMS AT SALE

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AUCTION

J. P. DAVIES & CO

WILL SELL

At Salesroom, Wharf Street,

Friday, Oct. 27,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M

GROCERIES

CASE GOODS,

Claret & German Wines,

CHAMPAGNE, BITTERS,

Preserves in Syrup,

Castile, C. O. and Fancy Soaps.

Zante Currants, Sauces,

CHEESE, CODFISH,

Tomatoes, Oysters.

Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc

oc20 J. P DAVIES, Auctioneer.

Boat Found.

A LARGE WHITEHALL BOAT was found about the middle of last month at Henry Island. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying costs and charges, on application to

CAPT. W. A. DELACOMB, R. M. Camp,
se6 San Juan Island.

Wanted.

A FEW BRICKLAYERS AND PLASterers can find employment on the Priest Estate, View Street, by immediate application at my office and work shop, corner of Fort and Blanchard streets.

P. RUDY,
Victoria, B. C., Oct. 16, 1871. Contractor. oc17

New Advertisements

SAANICH PLOWING MATCH.

AT A MEETING HELD AT MR. Brown's, North Saanich, on Monday, October 16th, the Prize List was settled as follows:

1st prize for Men		$15 00
2nd do	do	12 00
3rd do	do	11 00
4th do	do	9 00
5th do	do	7 00
1st prize for Boys		5 00
2nd do	do	4 00
3rd do	do	3 00
4th do	do	2 00

The Plowing Match to take place on the 8th of November (weather permitting), at Mr. Brown's farm, North Saanich.

Refreshments and a Supper will be provided on the grounds.

A meeting of the Committee will be held at A. Verdier's Hotel, on the 30th inst., to settle all preliminaries and to apportion such extra prizes as may be offered, up to that date.

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The Standard LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

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HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.

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D. CLUNIE GREGOR.

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ROBERT BURNABY, Agent.

oc13 Victoria, B. C.

Ex Princess Royal.

H. GRUNBAUM & BRO.

JOHNSON STREET,

have received direct from VIENNA, AUSTRIA, a large lot of

GENUINE MEERSCHAUM PIPES AND CIGAR HOLDERS,

The last of most Artistic Designs and Cuttings, mounted with Amber and considered VERY CHEAP.

Large Lot of PIPE STEMS all lengths to Twenty Five Inches. The finest

Real Turkish Tobacco.

Of Charming Flavor.

REAL TURKISH PIPES,

and everything to suit the most refined and fastidious Smoker's taste.

—ALSO—

CUTLERY of the Finest Description.
COMBS—Ivory and Buffalo.
MOCK JEWELERY of the Finest Description and Very Cheap.
RETICULES for Ladies.

A large Assortment of all kinds of

FANCY GOODS,

Selected in the Vienna Market.

FOR SHOEMAKERS—The finest Australian Calf Skin Leather, also Santa Cruz Sole Leather.

FOR TAILORS—The Heaviest Goods and the most Splendid Patterns in Gentlemen's Pants, also, Sewing Silk, and all kinds of Buttons, Buckles, Etc. sell daw

California Saloon,

JOHNSON STREET.

WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS

Of the best brands, dispensed at the Bar.

In the Saloon are three of Phelan's best

BILLIARD TABLES.

W. MARSH & W. BEALE, Proprietors.

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REMOVAL NOTICE

JOHN DICKSON,

DEALER IN

STOVES, TIN & IRONWARE AND Coppersmith,

Has removed to the

Clipper Warehouse,

(Lately occupied by L. Franklin)

On Yates Street adjoining A. Cassamayou & Co

☞ A Large Stock of Goods in His Line on Hand or Made to Order. ☜

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HASTINGS SAWMILL CO.

BURRARD INLET, B. C.

THE ABOVE MILL IS NOW IN FULL working order and capable of filling orders for

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF

Lumber, Timber, Spars,

&c., upon as Reasonable Terms as any Mill on the Coast.

QUICK DISPATCH GUARANTEED.

Orders received in Victoria by

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.

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oc11 1mdaw DICKSON, DeWOLF & CO

$875,000.

In Gold Coin, to be Distributed by the Metropolitan Cash Prize Co.

EVERY TICKET DRAWS A PRIZE!

1 Cash Gift,	$100,000	50 Cash Gifts, each	$1,000
5 Cash Gifts, each	40,000	200 " "	500
10 " "	20,000	100 " "	300
20 " "	5,000	350 " "	100
50 Elegant Rosewood Pianos,		each	$300 to $700
75 " " Melodeons		"	75 to 100
200 Gold Watches,		"	50 to 75
500 " "		"	25 to 50
Cash Prizes, Silver Ware, etc.,		valued at	$1,200,000

A chance to draw any of the above prizes for 25c. Tickets describing Prizes are sealed in Envelopes and well mixed. On receipt of 25c. a sealed ticket is drawn without choice, and sent by mail to any address. The prize named upon it will be delivered to the ticket-holder or endorsee. Cash Prizes are immediately sent to any address by express or return mail.

You will know what your prize is before you pay for it. *Any prize exchanged for another or for the same value.* No blanks. Our patrons can depend on fair dealing.

REFERENCES:—The following lately drew valuable Prizes and kindly permitted us to publish them:—Mrs. Drew J. Burns, Chicago, $10,000; Miss Clara Walker, Baltimore, Piano, $800; James M. Matthews, Detroit, $5,000; John T. Anderson, Savannah, $5,000; James Simmons, Boston, $10,000.

PRESS OPINIONS:—"The firm is reliable." *Weekly Tribune, Jan 7.* "Deserves their success." *Weekly Herald, Jan 7.* "Just and Honorable." *News, Dec. 9.*

Send for Circular. Liberal inducements to Agents. Satisfaction guaranteed. Every package of 200 Sealed Envelopes contains ONE CASH GIFT. Seven tickets for $1; 17 for $2; 50 for $5; 200 for $15. Address

HUNTER, MILLS & CO.,
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For Sale and Intermediate Landings on Fraser River.

Steamer Lillooet.

C. PARSONS,.....CAPTAIN,

Will leave New Westminster every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY until further notice.

N. B.—The above steamer will not be responsible for Leakage of Liquids shipped in Tins or Glass

Miscellaneous Advertisements

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ROBERT JONES.

ENAMELLED SAUCEPANS,
do. STEWPANS,
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NURSERY LAMPS,
TEA & COFFEE POTS,
TOILET CANS,
SLOP PAILS,
BUTTER MOULDS & PRINTS,
QUOITS,
SKITTLES,
LADIES' GARDEN TOOLS,
CORN MILLS,
TABLE MATS,
SCONCES,
CORKS,
WILSON'S BUTCHER KNIVES,
do do STEELS,
WILLIAM'S do do
CASH BOXES,
SAD IRONS,
TAILOR'S IRONS,
CUTLERY of the finest description,
FILES of all kinds,
WIRE DISH COVERS,
WHEELBARROWS,

Agricultural Implements

of every description, at prices to Suit the Farmers.

BREAD PLATTERS & KNIVES,
CARPENTERS' TOOLS of all kinds

Iron and Steel.

Naylor's Steel	3/4	Octagon
"	7/8	"
"	1	"
"	1 1/8	"
"	1 1/4	"
"	1 1/2	Pick Steel.

and a variety of other goods too numerous to particularize at

EDGAR MARVIN'S,

WHARF STREET,

VICTORIA. oc10

EX PRINCE ALFRED.

NATIONAL MILLS EXTRA FLOUR,
CHOICE SUTIL, CONGOU & JAPAN TEAS,
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YEAST POWDERS, COAL OIL,
CASTILE AND OTHER SOAPS,
GENUINE SWISS CHEESE,
CHOICE EASTER & CALIFORNIA CHEESE
CABLE TWIST, DWARF TWIST & GOLD-BAR TOBACCO,
HAVANA CIGARS,

And a general assortment of select

GROCERIES,

Received and For Sale by

A. RICKMAN,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCER,

CORNER OF

Government & Fort Streets.

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OPPOSITE

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

WILL be found an immense and varied assortment of New and Second-hand Goods,

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1000 Pairs Ladies', Gents', Misses and Children's Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.

1000 Vols. Books—Both Scientific and Medical, Educational and Biographical, and last but not least, the vast quantity of light reading matter, such as Novels, &c., with which his jobbie abound.

ALSO,

100 or more of Steel Engravings some of which are by the most eminent artists (Sir Edwin Landseer and others).

ALSO,

A Select assortment of Hats, Caps, &c., with New and Second-hand Clothing.

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothing and Hose,

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Woollen Goods of every description and a Choice lot of Glazed Linings.

WM. ANDEAN

Would, before concluding, politely Invite the Public and others to give him a call for it is simply impossible for him to mention even a twentieth part of his stock.

However, everyone can rest assured that his Motto has been, is and always will be "Small profits and Quick returns."

Go ahead is the Order of the Day. oc6

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J. D. JOHNSON, Proprietor, Johnson street, Victoria, B. C. Musical Entertainments Every Night. A Splendid Billiard Room Attached. Quadrille Band can be had.

Rudolph,

JEWELLER,

Government Street, Victoria, V. I.

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DR. CHING FUN—A CARD.—EDITOR STANDARD:—Through the medium of your paper I want to state the very great good that has been done me by Dr. Ching Fun of this city, next door Kwong Lee & Co. For 24 years I suffered with neuralgia on the brain, which baffled the skill of three Scottish American physicians. Latterly bronchitis attacked my right lung, and my eyes became terribly inflamed. Despairing of ever being cured I placed myself as a last resort in the hands of Dr. Ching Fun, and after five months treatment I am a well man and feel that I cannot sound the eminent Chinese gentleman's praises too highly, as he did for me what all my countrymen similarly affected may visit and find relief. Respectfully,

JOHN HENTON, of Kentucky, U. S.

Victoria, 2nd Sept., 1870. oc3

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

F. GRELLEY,

WHARF STREET, Victoria, B.C.

IMPORTER & DEALER IN

WINES & LIQUORS.

OFFERS FOR SALE THE FOLLOWING:

HENNESSY COGNAC, cask & case,
RUM,
OLD TOM GIN,
BOURBON WHISKY,
CLARET—Preller, cask & case,
do Millor Paullac,
do Deluz,
SPARKLING MOSELLE,
FINE HOCK WINE,
BURGUNDY MOSSEUX,
do WINE Chambertin,
do do Nuis,
do do St. George,
do do Pouilly,
do do Chablis,
SHERRY,
SAUTERNE,
do Paul Maury,
BOKER'S BITTERS,
ANGOSTURA do
HOSTETTER'S do
ORANGE do
COCKTAIL do

French Liqueurs.

VERMOUTH,
CURACAO,
NARASCHINO,
ABSINTHE,
ANISETTE,
KIRCH,
CASSIS,
ASSORTED SYRUPS,

CHAMPAGNE.

SPARKLING MOSELLE, Nonpariel
NAPOLEON'S CABINET,
BOUCHE FILS,
VVE. CLIQUOT,
SPECIALE CUVEE,
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BANCROFT'S CIDER,
CIDER in cask.

TAKE NOTICE.

That the undersigned is the only Importer of the PUELLER CLARET of St. Lerignan's Brand. This brand being far superior to all other Clarets exported by Messrs. G. Preller & Co.

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The largest and only legitimate Stock of

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" BRIDLES,
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" SPURS,

all of which have been manufactured from our own especial instructions and therefore we can guarantee our Saddles to fit any horse's back in the Province which no other House in the city can do.

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Sample Rooms,

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GOVERNMENT STREET,

VICTORIA, V. I.

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FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.

The rooms have all been refurnished, and particular attention is paid to cleanliness and good order.

APARTMENTS will be let by the Day, Week or Month, at a Great Reduction from former rates, and Travellers are requested to inspect the Hotel before seeking accommodation elsewhere.

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20 TONS OF WHEAT FOR SALE,

SUITABLE FOR MILLING PURPOSES

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Dealer in Venison and all kinds of Game in season.

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Losses hitherto Paid £9,000,000 Ster.

THE PŒNIX COMPANY WHICH FOR nearly ninety years has carried on a successful and increasing business, has always distinguished itself by promptitude and liberality in the Settlement of claims or loss, and by charging the lowest premiums, the nature of the risk will admit.

PROMPT CASH Payment and full power to settle all losses and claims without reference to England.

Annual and short time Insurances effected and all applications promptly attended to.

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RECEIVES BY EVERY STEAMER constant additions to his already large stock of first class Leather.

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Bound in the best English Calf or Morocco with Gilt Edges. Paper Ruled to any desired pattern. oc30 1y

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AGENTS AND CORRESPONDENTS IN CANADA & NEW YORK } The Bank of Montreal.

The Bank receives Deposits, Sells Exchange, Purchases Bullion, and transacts a General Banking Business.

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Victoria, B. C., July 14th, 1871. jy15 3mdaw

FRED'K. REYNOLDS,

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

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PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO

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THE best assortment of Island and Mainland BEEF and MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch.

☞ Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW, at

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Esquimalt District.

ESQUIMALT, August 23d, 1871.

WILLIAM FISHER, ESQ.,

DEAR SIR,—We the undersigned electors and inhabitants of the electoral District of Esquimalt, being confident in your ability, request that you will represent us in the local Legislature of this province and we hereby pledge ourselves to do our utmost to secure your return.

William Selleck,	John T Howard,
Hugh Kennedy,	Thos Tugwell,
R Woodhams,	Joseph Dare,
Jas W Bland,	Francis Stewart Ralfe,
Wm Millington,	John W Harman,
T Yardly,	H Sandford,
John Dunstan,	William Rothwell,
John Arthur,	Wm C Kaulebeicke,
James McAurlan,	Peter Calvert,
Wm Farrah,	Geo W Booth,
William Tapson,	J. S Gray,
Francis W Thomas,	Thomas Dodds,
J. Dotinson,	Walter Brookman,
Timothy Scarlon,	Geo Scarl,

REPLY.

To the Requisitionists and Electors of Esquimalt, including Metchosin, Colwood and Highland.

GENTLEMEN,—After considerable hesitation, arising from causes which I can easily and I trust satisfactorily explain when the proper time arrives, I unreservedly place myself in your hands as a candidate for your suffrages at the approaching election.

It is satisfactory to know that great unanimity prevails in the various sections of the colony upon the extension and improvement of Roads and Bridges; upon mail and telegraphic communication, as well as upon education and retrenchment, and I yield to none in an earnest desire to see all these accomplished to their fullest extent and upon their respective merits.

As a commercial man I will do nothing to retard, but everything to further our maritime interests and free intercourse with our American neighbors and the outer world, and as one who in early life had a deep interest and profited largely by the fisheries of Newfoundland and the trade of the St. Lawrence, it will be my endeavor to encourage as much as possible for this coast and our harbors those branches of industry which have flourished so long on the coasts of the Atlantic.

My early experience as a member of the Mersey Harbor Board, or the Old Dock Committee of Liverpool, and as a member of the Pilot's Committee, the Ship Building Committee, the Observatory and Lloyd's Classification Committee, ought to be of some service in the consideration of our harbor approaches, buoys and beacons.

As a prominent member of the Paid Officers Committee appointed by the Liverpool Corporation for the consideration of salaries and duties performed by several hundred officers, and involving an expenditure of over one million dollars per annum. I may be trusted with the consideration of our Civil List Bill and the exercise of that power which one Act of Parliament can exercise over another.

In the framing of the "Qualification of Voters' Act," I had no more to do than I had with the "Road Act," the "Local Estate Act" and the "Education Act," which proved to be as defective as they were inoperative. But, the principles and the technicalities which ought to constitute the spirit must be rigidly adhered to by those who profess to have respect for law.

It is well known that when I selected Esquimalt as a residence I considered it the Key of the colony, and I think so still. I may not be able to bring the Graving Dock or the Railway to my own door, but I may be instrumental in bringing one or both of them to some of yours without the aid or cost of a dredger.

It was not difficult to persuade some of my friends when I was in England to try the experiment which brought steamers from England, and although the success was not equal to expectation, I hope the day is not far distant when steamers of greater pretensions than the Robert Lowe or W. S. Lindsay will enliven the wharves of Esquimalt harbor.

The farmers are not clamorous—to their honor be it spoken—for Government aid for special benefit.

The Tariff which only came into operation a few years ago was the emanation of your most astute statesmen, who considered free port and run its day.

The revenue previously derived from Real Estate or a land tax, was to be provided by a tariff which included a duty on foreign grain. There can be no denying but that it has worked for the benefit of the farmers and industrious classes, and injured no one but those who can take care of themselves.

The difference between the Canadian Tariff and our own lies as between beef and bread. Allowing a pound of flour at five cents and a pound of beef at twenty cents per day for each man, a saving of a cent duty upon flour to lay it upon beef makes no difference to the consumer but a very great difference to the producer. Let those try to catch votes who can by the idea of a modified tariff on a sliding scale. In less than ten years I believe the Dominion tariff will be altered and universally adopted, but in the meantime let us try to profit by our own as long as we may.

The clearing and cultivation of the land give employment to the industrious classes and wherever your corn is produced thither must your plowman and your reaper your shovel and your capital go.

One herdsman and a narrow trail are sufficient for many hoofs, but it requires the handicraft to make a mill and industrious hands to keep it going.

And while I am aware that many other important and debatable questions will soon be brought forward, I can see no necessity for hoisting party colors and will follow no uncertain sound. I have no confidence in those who anticipate the day when the gross delusions of Communists will prevail. I am for building up and not for pulling down. I will neither work nor maneuver for spoil and therefore have no plunder to offer. I will favor no monopoly, but encourage every individual and private enterprise with a hearty and healthy cooperation of every interest for the general good, and on these principles I am prepared to stand or fall.

If called upon to serve you I will do it disinterestedly and faithfully. With unfeigned thanks for the requisition that is before me,

I have the honor to be,
Your very obedient and humble servant,
WILLIAM FISHER.

The Fort, Esquimalt, Sept. 25, 1871 oc26

Norway Seed Oats.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR Sale a small quantity of the Norway Seed Oats, raised on Orcas Island from seed supplied by D. W. Ramsdell of Massachusetts.

The average yield of these oats is 85 bushels to the acre, and the grain is in every respect superior to the ordinary oats. As high as 765 bushels have been raised upon five acres. Apply immediately to

M. ADAMS,
On board the sloop Random, at Kavanagh's Wharf. oc2

J. WRIGGLESWORTH,

Has Re-opened the Saloon, Government St., two doors from the Post Office, formerly occupied by the late Mr. McKay. The best brands of

WINES & LIQUORS

VICTORIA, V. I. B. C.

jy15 1m

Men want d.

WANTED, AT MOODY, DIETZ AND Nelson's Mill, Burrard Inlet, Millmen, Loggers and Carpenters.

MOODY, DIETZ & NELSON.

GEROW & JOHNSON'S

BRITISH COLUMBIA

EXPRESS & STAGE LINE

The Stage of the above line will leave Yale every MONDAY morning, carrying

H. M. MAIL, EXPRESS, FREIGHT & PASSENGERS,

—FOR—

Lytton, Clinton, Soda Creek, Quesnelle and Barkerville.

Gerow & Johnson's Express and Stage Line carries

LETTERS,
TREASURE,
VALUABLES,
EXPRESS FREIGHT, and

PASSENGERS AT REDUCED RATES;

Collections, Commission, and General Express Business done with Punctuality and dispatch.

☞ Passengers by Stage to Cariboo will require to leave Victoria by Friday's Steamer.

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DAVID GREEN,

FASHIONABLE CLOTHING

EMPORIUM,

GOVERNMENT STREET, next door to the St. Nicholas Hotel.

HAS RECEIVED PER PRINCESS ROYAL, A LARGE AND WELL ASSORTED Stock of

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING,

of the Latest Fashions from England, New York and San Francisco, consisting of

FINE CASSIMERE SUITS,
BLACK BEAVER PANTS,
FRENCH CASSIMERE PANTS,
BLACK DOESKIN PANTS,
FANCY SILK VELVET VESTS,
CASSIMERE BUSINESS COATS,
SILK VESTS,
AMERICAN RUBBER COATS.
FINE MERINO DRAWERS,
FINE MERINO UNDERSHIRTS,
CRIMEAN SHIRTS,
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OREGON OVER SHIRTS,
E. TOURELLE'S KID GLOVES in every color.
BEST QUALITIES WHITE SHIRTS,
FRENCH & AMERICAN FELT HATS of the latest Styles.

☞ All of which I offer for Sale at a small advance on Cost ☜

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THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE

PAID FOR

Furs, Hides, Wool, Sheepskins and Calfskins,

BY

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WHARF STREET. ja20 1y

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE REMOVED their Coal and Steamship Agency Office to the brick building on Wharf street adjoining Milland & Beedy's store.

R. BRODRICK & CO.

Victoria, 30th Sept., 1871. se30

KWONG TAI & CO,

MANUFACTURERS OF

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YATES STREET, opposite Wells Fargo & Co.

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Mr. James Bryden will commence running my

FLOUR MILL

next week, and will continue the same so long as there is Wheat to keep it going.

se29 A. BUNSTER.

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Horses, Hogs, &c.

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LOUIS RICHARDS & CHARLES MORTON, Proprietors.

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS having been purchased by the above, will be carried on with strict regard for the comfort of their Patrons, and they hope by so doing to merit a continuance of the liberal share of Patronage accorded to their Predecessor.

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Board and Lodging per week	$6 00
do do do day	$1
Board per week	$5 00
Single Meals	37½ cts
Beds	50 cts

The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors Ale, Porter and Cigars.

☞ A Fire-proof Safe in the House. ☜

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FORT STREET MILLINERY & DRESSMAKING ESTABLISHMENT.

MRS MOSS BEGS TO INFORM THE Ladies of Victoria and vicinity that she has reopened the store formerly occupied by Mrs. Wheat, Fort street, where she is prepared to take orders for Millinery and Dressmaking in all its branches.

N. B.—Cutting and Fitting done on the most reasonable terms. au28

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING RETURNED from San Francisco, begs to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has resumed business at his old stand, and

Guarantees that all Work done or Goods Supplied may be depended upon as Represented.

A CHOICE LOT OF NEW GOODS

of every description always on hand, which will repay inspection of intending purchasers.

EDWARD WATSON,
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Sandwich Islands Produce.

Ex Cambridge from Honolulu.

SUGAR—No. 1, 2 & 3 in Kegs and Bags.
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For Sale in quantities to Suit Purchasers, by

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EX "PRINCESS ROYAL."

FLOOR OILCLOTHS

OF ALL WIDTHS

JOHN WEILER,

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Ex Steamer Prince Alfred.

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ALL KINDS OF LEATHER,

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SHOE FINDINGS

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TO FAMILIES AND EXPORT MERCHANTS.

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Can now supply their

CELEBRATED HADDOCKS

As a change for Breakfast.

SMOKED AND PICKLED SALMON,

Of the finest kinds caught on this coast.

SMOKED AND PICKLED HERRINGS, AND

Vancouver Mackerel, &c., &c.

Fort Street, Sept. 25, 1871.

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3 Envelopes for 25 cents,
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WELLS FARGO & CO.

Victoria, Sept. 19, 1871. se20

$10 REWARD.

LOST, FIVE DEEDS OF TOWN LOTS. Whoever will return the same to me will receive the above reward.

AUGUSTUS CHRISTOPHER,
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22,000 lbs.

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Ex Prince Alfred.

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EDGAR MARVIN,

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